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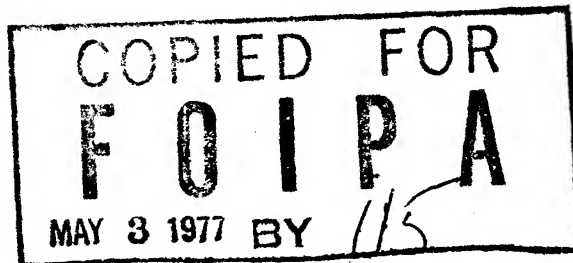
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ENCLOSURES FOR WASHINGTON FIELD FORWARDED BSM.

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO, AKA MRS. JOHN FRANCIS

MINK, PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED:

FEBRUARY 24, 1977, WITHOUT FAIL.

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INVESTIGATION OF MINK WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT.

BORN DECEMBER 6, 1927, PAIA, HAWAII, MARRIED, WASHINGTON, D.C., AND UNTIL JANUARY, 1977 WAS U.S. REPRESENTATIVE FROM HAWAII.

RESIDENCES: JANUARY, 1937 TO SEPTEMBER, 1944, HAMAKUAPOKO, MAIU, HAWAII; SEPTEMBER, 1944 TO OCTOBER, 1945, HALE LAULINA DORMITORY, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII; OCTOBER, 1945 TO SEPTEMBER, 1946, 2557-B LILIHA STREET, HONOLULU, HAWAII; SEPTEMBER, 1946 TO JANUARY, 1947, WILSON COLLEGE, CHARLESBURG, PENNSYLVANIA; JANUARY, 1947 TO JUNE, 1947, INTERNATIONAL HOUSE, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA; JUNE, 1947 TO SEPTEMBER, 1948, 2557-B LILIHA STREET, HONOLULU, HAWAII; SEPTEMBER, 1948 TO FEBRUARY, 1951, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO; FEBRUARY, 1951 TO AUGUST, 1952, VARIOUS PLACES IN SOUTH CHICAGO, ILLINOIS; AUGUST, 1952, 2557-B LILIHA STREET, HONOLULU, HAWAII; JANUARY, 1965, PROSPECT HOUSE, 1200 NASH AVENUE, ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA; SEPTEMBER, 1965, SLIGO CREEK PARKWAY, PARKSIDE PLAZA APARTMENTS, SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND.

EDUCATION: 1944 TO 1946, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, HONOLULU, HAWAII; 1946 TO JANUARY, 1947, WILSON COLLEGE,



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CHAMBERSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA; JANUARY, 1947 TO JUNE, 1974,  
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA; SEPTEMBER, 1947  
TO JUNE, 1948, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, HONOLULU, HAWAII;  
SEPTEMBER, 1948 TO JUNE, 1951, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO LAW  
SCHOOL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS; RECEIVING B.A., DOCTOR OF LAW  
DEGREES.

EMPLOYMENT: JULY, TO AUGUST, 1948, HONOLULU, ACADEMY  
OF ARTS, HONOLULU, HAWAII; JUNE, 1948, HICKAN AIR FORCE  
BASE, HONOLULU, HAWAII; SUMMER, 1947, DEPOT PAUN NOY,  
HONOLULU, HAWAII; JANUARY, 1955 TO 1956, ATTORNEY, HAWAII  
TERR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, HONOLULU, HAWAII; JANUARY,  
1963 TO JANUARY, 1965, MEMBER STATE OF HAWAII SENATE,  
HONOLULU, HAWAII; JANUARY, 1959 TO JUNE, 1959, MEMBER, TERR  
OF HAWAII SENATE; 1957 TO JANUARY, 1959, MEMBER, TERR OF  
HAWAII, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES; SEPTEMBER, 1959 TO JANUARY,  
1963, AND SEPTEMBER, 1953 TO JANUARY, 1957, LECTURER,

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PART TIME, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII; SEPTEMBER, 1953 TO JANUARY,  
1965, SELF EMPLOYED ATTORNEY AT LAW, 12 N. KIZ STREET,  
HONOLULU, HAWAII.

RELATIVES: MOTHER, MITAMA TAKEMOTO, 1946 PAULA DRIVE,  
HONOLULU, HAWAII; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

REFERENCES: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ALL U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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- ☐ Restricted to Locality of \_\_\_\_\_  
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NEE: TAKEMOTO, ALA: PATSY MINK  
 ALA: MRS. JOHN FRANCIS MINKSE  
 Subject PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK  
 Birthdate & Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_

Localities \_\_\_\_\_

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Suematsu  
Subject ~~Sue Matsuo~~ TAKEMOTO  
Birthdate & Place 1898  
Address deceased (1946 Avenue  
Honolulu, Hawaii)  
Localities

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE  
Washington

2/16/77

TO:

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FROM:

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SUBJECT: FBI INVESTIGATIONS

Subject's Name MINK, Patsy T.

Date of Birth 12/6/27 Place of Birth Paia, Maui, Hawaii

Present Address: 611 6th Place SW, Washington, D.C.

We request: Copy of Previous Report

Name Check

XX Full Field Investigation

The person named above is being considered for:

White House Staff Position

XX Presidential Appointment

Attachments:

XX SF 86 (/in duplicate)

SF 87, Fingerprint Card

Biography

Remarks:

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NN, PK, CG, CM, BL,  
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ENCLOSURE

Standard Form 86  
AUGUST 1964  
U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
(F.P.M. CHAPTER 736)  
86-107

# SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA FOR SENSITIVE POSITION

CASE SERIAL NO. (CSG use only)

INSTRUCTIONS.—Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.

1. FULL NAME (Initials and abridgements of full name are not acceptable. If no middle name, show "(NMN)"; if initials only, show "(no given or middle name)".)	(LAST NAME) <b>MINK</b>	(FIRST NAME) <b>PATSY</b>	(MIDDLE NAME) <b>TAKEMOTO</b>	2. DATE OF BIRTH <b>Dec 6, 1921</b>
OTHER NAMES USED. (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.) <b>Patsy Matsu TAKEMOTO, b7C</b> <b>maiden name b6</b>				3. PLACE OF BIRTH <b>Pala, Maui, Hawaii</b>
				4. <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEMALE
5. HEIGHT <b>5'1"</b>		WEIGHT <b>120</b>	COLOR EYES <b>Brown</b>	COLOR HAIR <b>Black</b>

6. <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW(ER) <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED	7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. (Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.) <b>Birth date: June 3, 1924</b>
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8. DATES AND PLACE and go back to January 1, 1937. Continue under item 28 on other side if necessary.)

FROM	TO	NUMBER AND STREET	CITY	STATE
Jan 1 1937	to Sept 1944		Hamakua, Maui, Hawaii	HN
Sept 1944	to Oct 1945	Hale Lanima Dormitory,	University of Hawaii	
Oct 1945	to Sept 1946	2551-B Liliha Street,	Honolulu, Hawaii	HN
Sept 1946	to Jan 1947	Wilson College	Chambersburg, Penna	PH
Jan 1947	to June 1947	International House,	Univ of Nebraska, Lincoln	OM
June 1947	to Sept 1948	2551 B Liliha Street,	Honolulu, Hawaii	HN
Sept 1948	to Feb 1951	International House, (to Univ. of Chicago)	Chicago, Illinois	CC

9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BY BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> NATURALIZED	ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.	DATE, PLACE, AND COURT
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> U.S. CITIZEN	CERT. NO.	PETITION NO.
<input type="checkbox"/> DERIVED-PARENTS CERT. NO(S).		
<input type="checkbox"/> ALIEN	REGISTRATION NO.	NATIVE COUNTRY
		DATE AND PORT OF ENTRY

NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	FROM (Year)	TO (Year)	DEGREES
Maui High School	Hamakua, Maui, Hawaii	1940	1944	
University of Hawaii	Honolulu, Hawaii	1944	1946	HN
Wilson College	Chambersburg, Pa	1946	Jan 1947	PH
University of Nebraska	Lincoln, Nebraska	Jan 1947 - June 1947		OM
University of Hawaii	Honolulu, Hawaii	Sept 1947 - June 1948		BA
Univ. of Chicago Law School	Chicago, Illinois	Sept 1948 - June 1951		Doctor of Law

11. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE. (See also item 29.)

12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

575-24-5290

13. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)

NONE

SERIAL NO.  
(If none, give grade or rating at separation)BRANCH OF SERVICE  
(Army, Navy, Air Force, etc.)

FROM (Yr.)

TO (Yr.)

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26a. REFERENCES. (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are aware of your qualifications and fitness.)

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BUSINESS ADDRESS

YEARS KNOWN

US House of Representatives 1965 to now  
 US House of Representatives 1965 to now  
 US House of Representatives 1965 to now  
 (friends, schoolmates or colleagues, who know you well)

28. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS. (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.)

CL 8. Feb 1951 to August 1952 Various places in South Chicago, Illinois  
 Englewood Ave, Kenwood Ave, Kimbark Ave -  
 HN August 1952 2557-B Liliha Street, Honolulu, Hawaii  
 173 Honolulu Street, Honolulu, Hawaii  
 173 Moeha Street, Honolulu, Hawaii  
 AX/CH January 1965 94-1037 Maikai Street, Waipahu, Hawaii  
 Prospect House 120 Nash Ave, Arlington VA.  
 DATE: WFO 24 Sept 1965 Sligo Creek Parkway, Parkside Plaza Apts, Silver Spring Md  
 WFO Sept 1967 to present 611 6th Place SW, Wash DC 20024

WFO 24. Commission on Women in Higher Education, Am. Council on Education  
 one Dupont Circle, Wash DC 20036. current member  
 former member: Palama Settlement, Hawaii Assn to help Retarded Children,  
 Lanikaia Crafts, Honolulu Symphony, PTA, John Howard Assn.

Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

## CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

False statement on this form  
is punishable by law.

January 14, 1977

(DATE)

(SIGNATURE—sign original and first carbon copy)

## INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY AGENCY

INSTRUCTIONS TO AGENCY: See Federal Personnel Manual Chapter 736 and FPM Supplement 296-31, Appendix A, for details on when this form is required and how it is used. If this is a request for investigation before appointment, insert "APPL" in the space for Date of Appointment and show information about the proposed appointment in the other spaces for appointment data. The original and the first carbon copy should be signed by the applicant or appointee. Submit the original and the unsigned carbon copy of the form, Standard Form 87 (Fingerprint Chart), and any investigative information about the person received on voucher forms or otherwise, to the United States Civil Service Commission, Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Washington, D.C., 20415. If this is a request for full field security investigation, submit these forms to the attention of the Division of Reimbursable Investigations; if this is a request for preappointment national agency checks, submit these forms to the attention of the Control Section.

RETAIN THE CARBON COPY OF STANDARD FORM 86 (SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT OR APPOINTEE) FOR YOUR FILES

DATE OF APPOINTMENT	TYPE OF APPOINTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> EXCEPTED <input type="checkbox"/> COMPETITIVE. (Include indefinite and temporary types of competitive appointments.)	CIVIL SERVICE REGULATION NUMBER OR OTHER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY	TITLE OF POSITION AND GRADE OR SALARY
DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY	DUTY STATION	SEND RESULTS OF PREAPPOINTMENT CHECK TO:	
THIS IS A SENSITIVE POSITION			
(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL)			

14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMED FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

15. EMPLOYMENT. (List ALL employment dates starting with your present employment. Give both month and year for all dates. Show ALL dates and addresses when unemployed. Give name under which employed if different from name now used.)

FROM	TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or agency) AND SUPERVISOR (Full name, if known)	ADDRESS (Where employed)	TYPE OF WORK	REASON FOR LEAVING
WFO Jan 1965	to Jan 1977	U.S. House of Rep.	Wash DC	MC	defeated
HN Sept 1953	to Jan 1965	Self employed attorney at law	12 N King Street Honolulu 926 Bethel Street Honolulu		elected to Congress
Sept 1953	to Jan 1957	Lecturer, parttime,	Univ of Hawaii Honolulu, Hawaii		elected to state (Terr) legislature
Sept 1959	to Jan 63	"	"	"	"
Jan 1957	to Jan 1959	Member, Terr. of Hawaii House of Representatives	Honolulu, Hawaii		Statehood enacted by Congress 1959
Jan 1959	to June 1959	Member, Terr. of Hawaii Senate	Honolulu, Hawaii		
Jan 1963	to Jan 1965	Member, State of Hawaii Senate	Honolulu, Hawaii		
Jan 1955, 1956		Attorney	Hawaii Terr House of Representatives Honolulu, Hawaii		
66 June 1951 - Aug 1952		Univ. of Chicago	Chicago Ill		left to return to Hawaii
HN 1944-46 ; 1947-48		Univ of Hawaii	Honolulu, Hawaii	student work on campus	
Summer 1947		Depot Pahr Shop	Honolulu, Hawaii		
June 1948		Hickam Air Force Base,	Honolulu, Hawaii		
July-Aug 1948		Honolulu Academy of Arts,	Honolulu, Hawaii		

16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes" give details in item 28. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15—EMPLOYMENT.)

18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY? (You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of \$30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.) ☐ YES ☒ NO.

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," GIVE FULL DETAILS BELOW:

DATE	CHARGE	PLACE	LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY	ACTION TAKEN
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19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN OR HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusive of military service.)

(See attached sheet for more)

COUNTRY

DATE LEFT U.S.

DATE RETURNED U.S.A.

PURPOSE

Japan

October 1963

Nov 11, 1963

Vacation

Paris, France

Summer 1958

approx one week

to attend Conference

Fed. Republic of Germany

Summer 1964

approx 2 weeks visit

guest of gov't

21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. IN ITEM 28 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM, GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME IN FULL

ADDRESS

FROM

TO

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24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

NAME IN FULL

ADDRESS

TYPE

FROM

TO

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Business & Professional Women, Eva Club, current member

American for Democratic Action, current member

United Nations Association, current member Hawaii Chapter

American Civil Liberties Union, current member, Nat'l Advisory Council

American Bar Association, current member

Hawaii Bar Association, current member

American Asso of Univ Women, current member

25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

RELATION

NAME IN FULL

YEAR OF BIRTH

ADDRESS

COUNTRY OF BIRTH

PRESENT CITIZENSHIP

Father (dead) Suenatsu Takenaka 1898

1946 Paula Dr.

US

US

Mother Mitana Takenaka 1905

Honolulu, Hawaii

US

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# SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA FOR SENSITIVE POSITION

MINK, PATSY TAKEMOTO

Continued

Item 20 (all dates approximate only)

	Date of Departure	Date Returned	Purpose of Trip
Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong Bangkok, India, Saudi Arabia Greece, Fed Rep of Germany	Nov 1965	Dec 1965	Congressional trip
Geneva, Switzerland (Stopover in Lisbon, Portugal)	5/27/67	6/2/67	Attend meeting (Pacem in Terris)
London, England	1/30/69	2/6/69	Attend Ditchley conference
Canada	Aug 1969	Aug 1969	auto-tour vacation
Canada	7/4/71	weekend only	auto tour vacation
London, Amsterdam, West Germany, Austria Poland	8/8/71	8/29/71	Congressional trip to Poland....re- mainder vacation
Paris, France	4/21/72	4/23/72	meetings re Vietnam Peace status
Saigon, South Vietnam (stopovers in Bangkok, Hong Kong, Macau)	8/15/73	8/21/73	Congressional trip re American orphans
Geneva, Switzerland	May 1975	May 1975	Congressional advisor to UN Law of the Sea
Mexico City, Mexico	6/26/75	6/30/75	Congressional advisor to UN-IWY conference
Osaka, Japan (with stopover in Tokyo)	Oct 27, 1975-Nov 1, 1975		Speak at conf on Libraries
Peoples Republic of China (stopover in Tokyo, Japan)	Dec 30, 75-Jan 9, 76		Under auspices of White House went as guests of PRC with Women Members of Congress

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AUTHORITY TO RELEASE INFORMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby authorize any Special Agent or other authorized representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation bearing this release, or copy thereof, within one year of its date, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my educational records including, but not limited to, academic, achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, and disciplinary records; employment records; and credit records. I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Consent is granted for the FBI to furnish such information, as is described above, to third parties in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities. I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school, college, university, or other educational institution, credit bureau or consumer reporting agency, including its officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it. Should there be any question as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Patsy Takemoto Mink*  
Signature

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK  
Type or print name

Parent or Guardian:  
(if required): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

January 14, 1977

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

611 6<sup>th</sup> Place SW

Washington DC 20024

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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In connection with the consideration of my possible appointment to a position in President Carter's Administration, I hereby authorize (pursuant to Internal Revenue Code # 6103 (c) as amended) the Internal Revenue Service to provide the White House, and the FBI acting on behalf of President Carter with tax information, limited to the following:

1. Whether I have filed returns with respect to Federal income taxes for the immediately preceding 3 years.
2. Whether I have failed to pay any tax within 10 days after notice and demand, or have been assessed any penalty under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, for negligence, in the current year or immediately preceding 3 years.
3. Whether I have been or am under investigation for possible criminal offenses under the internal revenue laws and the results of any such investigation.
4. Whether I have been assessed any civil penalty under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, for fraud.

In order to assist you in locating this Federal tax information, I am voluntarily disclosing my Social Security Number which is



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(Taxpayer's Signature)

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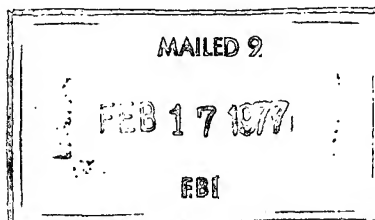
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nee Takemoto  
aka Mrs. John Francis Mink  
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SPECIAL INQUIRY  
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Enclosed is background data and appropriate  
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PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO, AKA MRS. JOHN FRANCIS MINK,  
PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: FEBRUARY 24,  
1977, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED FEBRUARY 17, 1977.

IN REFERENCED TELETYPE APPOINTEE LISTED EMPLOYMENT AT  
HICKAM AIR FORCE BASE (HAFB), HONOLULU, HAWAII DURING JUNE,  
1948.

ON FEBRUARY 18, 1977,

[REDACTED] HAFB, ADVISED THAT THERE ARE NO CIVILIAN PERSONNEL  
RECORDS RETAINED AT HAFB FOR FORMER EMPLOYEES WHO WORKED AT  
HICKAM DURING 1948. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT INFORMATION CONCERNING  
APPOINTEE SHOULD BE ON RECORD AT NATIONAL CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

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ST. LOUIS AT ST. LOUIS WILL REVIEW RECORDS, NATIONAL  
CIVILIAN PERSONNEL RECORD CENTER, 111 WINNEBAGO STREET, ST.  
LOUIS, MISSOURI, 63118 TO CONFIRM EMPLOYMENT AT HAFB 1948 FOR  
CAPTIONED APPOINTEE.

DUE TO URGENT NATURE OF REQUEST IT IS IMPERATIVE BUDED BE  
MET WITHOUT FAIL. NO DELAY WILL BE TOLERATED.

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PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: FEBRUARY 24,  
1977, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, FEBRUARY 17, 1977, AND BUREAU AIRTEL  
TO WASHINGTON FIELD, FEBRUARY 17, 1977.

HONOLULU UNABLE TO VERIFY ANY LOCAL AFFILIATION WITH  
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION; AMERICANS FOR DEMOCRATIC ACTION  
AND AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN. ALL INQUIRIES AT  
HONOLULU INDICATE APPOINTEE UNDOUBTEDLY MAINTAINED CONTACTS WITH  
ABOVE ORGANIZATIONS IN WASHINGTON, D. C., AREA. APPOINTEE  
DEPARTED HONOLULU, HAWAII, ON FEBRUARY 21, 1977, FOR WASHINGTON  
AND CAN BE REACHED AT HER OFFICES, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, AND/OR  
HER WASHINGTON RESIDENCE, TELEPHONE NUMBER 202-554-4919. <sup>23</sup> MAR 29 1977

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PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO, AKA MRS. JOHN FRANCIS MINK, PATSY  
MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPIN, BUDED: FEBRUARY 24, 1977

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WFO, FEBRUARY 17, 1977, AND BUREAU AIRTEL  
TO WFO, FEBRUARY 17, 1977.

EDUCATION: ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, MRS. BETTY BARKLOW, SECRETARY  
TO THE DEAN, WILSON COLLEGE, PHILADELPHIA AVENUE, CHAMBERSBURG, PA.,  
ADVISED THAT A REVIEW OF HER FILES REFLECTED THAT PATSY MATSU  
TAKEMOTO ATTENDED WILSON COLLEGE FROM SEPTEMBER, 1946 UNTIL JANUARY,  
1947, AT WHICH TIME TAKEMOTO TRANSFERRED TO THE UNIVERSITY OF  
NEBRASKA. WILSON COLLEGE, AT THAT TIME, DID NOT COMPUTE QUALITY  
POINT AVERAGES, BUT A REVIEW OF THE ABOVE RECORD DISCLOSED THAT  
TAKEMOTO CARRIED AVERAGE GRADES OF B'S AND C'S. THERE WAS NO  
DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THAT FILE, AND THE FILE DISCLOSED

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THAT MISS TAKEMOTO, DURING HER SHORT ATTENDANCE AT WILSON COLLEGE, RESIDED IN THE DORMITORY ON CAMPUS. MRS. BARKLOW STATED THAT THERE ARE NO WILSON COLLEGE STAFF MEMBERS CURRENTLY AT WILSON COLLEGE WHO WERE AT THE COLLEGE DURING THE TIME OF MISS TAKEMOTO'S ATTENDANCE AT THAT SCHOOL.

CREDIT AND ARREST: ON DECEMBER 18, 1977, MRS. MARY MACKEY, CREDIT BUREAU OF GREATER CHAMBERSBURG, CHAMBERSBURG, PA., ADVISED THAT A REVIEW OF HER FILES FAILED TO DISCLOSE ANY RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE.

ON DECEMBER 18, 1977, TROOPER VASKO, PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE (PSP), CHAMBERSBURG, PA., ADVISED THAT THE FILES OF THE PSP FAILED TO DISCLOSE ANY RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE.

ON DECEMBER 18, 1977, MRS. DA RUE PRIETO, POLICE DEPARTMENT, CHAMBERSBURG, PA., ADVISED THAT A REVIEW OF HER FILES FAILED TO DISCLOSE ANY RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE.

ADMINISTRATIVE: ALL PERSONS CONTACTED WERE ADVISED OF THE CONFIDENTIALITY PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974, AND NONE REQUESTED CONFIDENTIALITY.

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PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: FEBRUARY 24,  
1977, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE HONOLULU TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 22, 1977.

INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED AT HONOLULU, HAWAII, DURING  
PERIOD FEBRUARY 18-23, 1977, BY AGENTS OF THE HONOLULU OFFICE  
DISCLOSED THE FOLLOWING:

MINK, ACCORDING TO RECORDS OF HAWAII BUREAU OF VITAL  
STATISTICS AT HONOLULU, WAS BORN DECEMBER 6, 1927, PAIA,  
MAUI, HAWAII. MINK MAINTAINS RESIDENCE AT 94-1037 MAIKAI  
STREET, WAIPAHU, HAWAII, WHILE RESIDING IN THIS STATE.

INVESTIGATION DETERMINED MINK HAS MOTHER [REDACTED]

MAINTAINING RESIDENCE IN HONOLULU AND [REDACTED]

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MINK ATTENDED UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII (UH) FROM SEPTEMBER 1944 TO JUNE 1948 AND RECEIVED BA DEGREE. FACULTY ADVISORS AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS, INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS CENTER, UH, ADVISED APPOINTEE WAS A LECTURER AT UH AND ALL INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED RECOMMENDED HIGHLY.

FORMER EMPLOYMENT WITH HONOLULU ACADEMY OF ARTS AND DEPOT PAWNSHOP VERIFIED. NO ONE CURRENTLY AT ABOVE ESTABLISHMENTS PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH APPOINTEE.

MINK ON BOARD OF DIRECTORS, MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY, HONOLULU AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LANAKILA REHABILITATION CENTER, HONOLULU. SHE RECEIVED OUTSTANDING WOMAN'S AWARD 1967 FROM MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY. MEMBERS OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECOMMEND FAVORABLY.

MINK IS NOT DUES PAYING MEMBER OF NAACP HAWAII. HOWEVER, CONSIDERED BY [REDACTED] OF NAACP, TO BE COGNIZANT AND SYMPATHETIC OF ORGANIZATION'S AIMS. IN 1973 MINK AWARDED FREEDOM FUND PLAQUE BY NAACP.

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ANSON CHONG, HAWAII STATE SENATOR, ADVISED UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION-USA, INC. IS A VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION SET UP BY PRESIDENT OF U.S. HE ADVISED MINK ASSOCIATED WITH THIS ORGANIZATION FROM INCEPTION AND WAS ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. MINK CARRIED AS EMERITUS GOVERNOR, HAWAII CHAPTER, FOR ABOVE ORGANIZATION AND CONSIDERED A TIRELESS WORKER, INTELLIGENT ADMINISTRATOR AND LOYAL CITIZEN.

ADVISED MINK RECIPIENT OF ALII AWARD BY 4-H CLUB, HONOLULU, AS OUTSTANDING 4-H PERSON CONTRIBUTING TO COMMUNITY SERVICES.

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AFFILIATION WITH YOUNG DEMOCRATIC CLUB OF HAWAII VERIFIED FOR PRIOR YEARS. MINK NO LONGER MEMBER, AGE LIMITATION 36 YEARS. CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE FOR ABOVE ORGANIZATION NOT ACQUAINTED WITH MINK TO COMMENT ON HER BACKGROUND.

MEMBER, CAMP FIRE GIRLS OF AMERICA, ADVISED HE COULD LOCATE NO RECORD FOR A MEMBERSHIP CARD ON MINK. ADVISED OUTSTANDING WOMAN'S AWARD 1968 FROM ABOVE ORGANIZATION MAY HAVE BEEN GIVEN AT NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS.



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PAST PRESIDENT, PACIFIC SPEECH ASSOCIATION, RECALLS MINK RECEIVING AWARD AS SPEAKER OF THE YEAR IN 1968 FROM PACIFIC SPEECH ASSOCIATION. AWARD GIVEN TO MINK IN TERMS OF COMMUNITY SERVICES RENDERED. J

[REDACTED] ACLU, HONOLULU CHAPTER, ADVISED APPOINTEE NOT LISTED ON CURRENT AFFILIATE ROSTER.

[REDACTED] DEMOCRATIC ACTION GROUP, HAWAII CHAPTER, ADA, UNABLE TO CONFIRM APPOINTEE'S MEMBERSHIP. b7C  
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[REDACTED] PALAMA SETTLEMENT, HONOLULU, ADVISED MINK CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH WORKERS OF ABOVE ORGANIZATION. NO OFFICIAL MEMBERSHIP FOR PALAMA SETTLEMENT BUT BECAUSE OF HER EFFECTIVE ENDEAVORS, MINK CONSIDERED PART OF THAT ESTABLISHMENT. I

MINK MEMBER BOARD OF DIRECTORS, HAWAII ASSOCIATION, FOR RETARDED CHILDREN IN 1959-1962.

MINK CONTRIBUTING MEMBER, HONOLULU SYMPHONY SOCIETY, 1967 THROUGH 1971. COMPTROLLER NOT PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH MINK.

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[REDACTED] WAHIAWA YMCA, ADVISED MINK  
ON BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF LEEWARD YMCA, 1966-1969.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, LANAKILA REHABILITATION CENTER,  
ADVISED MINK ON BOARD OF DIRECTORS, 1960-1964.

[REDACTED] LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE  
BUREAU LIBRARY, STATE CAPITAL, ADVISED NAME OF PATSY MINK  
APPEARS AS MEMBER, TERRITORIAL HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
STATE OF HAWAII, 1957-1958, AND AS MEMBER OF TERRITORIAL  
SENATE, STATE OF HAWAII, 1959. LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL, 1963-  
1964, LISTS PATSY MINK AS MEMBER OF SENATE FOR STATE OF  
HAWAII. LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL, 1955, LISTS MINK'S NAME AS  
"HOUSE ATTORNEY", TERRITORIAL HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE.

[REDACTED] ARCHIVES, STATE OF HAWAII, ADVISED  
SEARCH OF FILES FAILED TO LOCATE EXACT DATES FOR PATSY MINK  
IN TERRITORIAL OR STATE LEGISLATURE AS HOUSE ATTORNEY.

GOVERNOR GEORGE ARIYOSHI, STATE OF HAWAII, ADVISED HE  
WAS CO-WORKER WITH PATSY MINK AS REPRESENTATIVE, TERRITORIAL

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LEGISLATURE, STATE OF HAWAII. HE STATES SHE IS WOMAN OF MUCH STRENGTH AND SPEAKS HER BELIEFS FORCIBLY AND IS ABLE LEGISLATOR. HE BELIEVES HER TO BE LOYAL AMERICAN AND THINKS SHE WOULD DO EXCELLENT JOB IN CURRENT POSITION UNDER PRESIDENT CARTER'S ADMINISTRATION. RECOMMENDS HIGHLY. 1

JOHN USHIJIMA, PRESIDENT, HAWAII STATE SENATE, JAMES WAKATSUKI, SPEAKER, HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, DONALD D. H. CHING, DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY LEADER, HAWAII STATE SENATE, AND WADSWORTH LEE, REPUBLICAN MINORITY LEADER, HAWAII STATE SENATE, ALL RECOMMEND PATSY MINK HIGHLY FOR POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE IN THE U.S. 3

DEPUTY CLERK, HAWAII SUPREME COURT, ADVISED RECORDS LIST MINK BEING ADMITTED TO PRACTICE OF LAW, JULY 24, 1953, TERRITORY OF HAWAII. MRS. MINK REQUESTED INACTIVE STATUS AND EXEMPTIONS FROM ATTORNEY'S REGISTRATION FEE ON JULY 1, 1974. FILES REFLECT NO COMPLAINTS AGAINST MINK.

[REDACTED] OFFICE OF DISCIPLINARY COUNSEL, ADVISED HE HAS NOT RECEIVED ANY COMPLAINTS OF PROFESSIONAL IRRESPONSIBILITY AGAINST MRS. MINK. b7C b6

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[REDACTED], HAWAII BAR ASSOCIATION,  
STATED PATSY MINK IS MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING, HAWAII BAR  
ASSOCIATION. [REDACTED] HAWAII BAR  
ASSOCIATION, ADVISED MINK CAPABLE ATTORNEY AND REPUTATION  
EXCELLENT.

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PERSONAL ASSOCIATES, NEIGHBORS, BUSINESS, EDUCATIONAL  
AS WELL AS ORGANIZATIONAL ASSOCIATES, DESCRIBED MINK AS  
HONEST, TRUSTWORTHY, RELIABLE AND QUALIFIED IN HER PROFESSION  
AND ONE WHO IS LOYAL AMERICAN OF GOOD CHARACTER AND REPUTATION.  
MINK FAVORABLY RECOMMENDED FOR POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE  
WITH U.S. GOVERNMENT.

REVIEW OF LOCAL HONOLULU NEWSPAPER MORGUES REVEALS NO  
INDICATION OF ANY STATEMENTS OF RADICAL BIAS ATTRIBUTABLE  
TO MINK. NO PERTINENT INFORMATION DEVELOPED.

CREDIT BUREAU OF HAWAII RECORDS AT HONOLULU AND WAILUKU,  
MAUI, SATISFACTORY FOR MINK AND IDENTIFICATION RECORDS,  
HONOLULU POLICE DEPARTMENT AND MAUI COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT,  
DISCLOSED NO RECORD FOR APPOINTEE OR CLOSE RELATIVES.

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HONOLULU INDICES CONTAINED NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION RE  
APPOINTEE AND/OR CLOSE RELATIVES.

ALL INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED WERE APPRISED OF THE PROVISIONS  
OF THE PRIVACY ACT.

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PAISY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPI, BUDED FEBRUARY 24, 1977

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WFO DATED FEBRUARY 17, 1977.

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ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ADVISED PAISY TAKEMOTO,

2557-B LILIAHA STREET, HONOLULU, WAS BORN DECEMBER 6, 1927, AT

PAIA, HAWAII. SHE RECEIVED BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE FROM

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII IN 1948. SHE WAS ADMITTED UNIVERSITY OF

CHICAGO LAW SCHOOL IN OCTOBER, 1948 AND ATTENDED ACADEMIC YEARS

JUNE, REPEAT JUNE, 1951, AND RECEIVED JURIS DOCTORATE DEGREE

JUNE 15, 1951, AS PAISY TAKEMOTO MINK.

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ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ADVISED SHE HAS NO RECORD OF THE APPOINTEE AS A MEMBER OF THE FACULTY.

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] LAW SCHOOL, ADVISED SHE HAS NO RECORD OF THE APPOINTEE AS AN EMPLOYEE OF THE LAW SCHOOL. SHE SAID APPOINTEE COULD HAVE WORKED UNDER ANY NUMBER OF GRANTS OR RESEARCH PROJECTS WITHOUT HAVING A RECORD ON UNIVERSITY PAYROLLS.

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, ADVISED SHE HAS A RECORD OF THE APPOINTEE FROM MAY 14, 1952 TO JULY 27, 1952, AS AN ASSISTANT IN THE LIBRARY. SHE DID NOT HAVE A RECORD PRIOR TO MAY, 1952.

CREDIT

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, PERSONNEL OF THE CREDIT INFORMATION CORPORATION OF CHICAGO ADVISED SPECIAL CLERK [REDACTED] THAT THEY HAVE NO RECORD OF THE APPOINTEE.

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ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, PERSONNEL OF THE CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT ADVISED SPECIAL CLERK [REDACTED] THEY HAVE

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NO RECORD OF THE APPOINTEE.

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PERSONS INTERVIEWED WERE APPRISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF  
THE PRIVACY ACT.

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RECORDS, NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, CIVILIAN BRANCH,  
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, DISCLOSED PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SOCIAL SECURITY  
ACCOUNT NUMBER 575-24-5290, EMPLOYED JULY 2, 1948, BY DEPARTMENT OF  
AIR FORCE, HEADQUARTERS, PACIFIC DIVISION, MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT  
SERVICE, 1500TH AIR FORCE BASE UNIT, HICKAM AIR FORCE BASE, HAWAII,  
AS CLERK TYPIST. RESIGNED JULY 16, 1948, TO ACCEPT ANOTHER JOB.

BIRTH DATA SHOWN AS DECEMBER 6, 1927, AT PAIA, HAWAII. NO  
UNFAVORABLE INFORMATION NOTED.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE HONOLULU TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 19, 1977. BUDED

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PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO, AKA MRS. JOHN FRANCIS

MINK, PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED:

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1977.

ADMINISTRATIVE. ALL PERSONS INTERVIEWED WERE ADVISED  
THAT THE INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED FOR PRESIDENT-  
ELECT TRANSITION STAFF. ALL PERSONS ADVISED OF PROVISIONS  
OF PRIVACY ACT AND THOSE REQUESTING CONFIDENTIALITY ARE  
SO NOTED.

EDUCATION. THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED  
BY SA [REDACTED]

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ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT LINCOLN, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA, ADVISED THERE WOULD BE NO PERSON WHO WOULD REMEMBER A STUDENT TAKING COURSES IN THE ARTS AND SCIENCES COLLEGE IN 1947.

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ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT LINCOLN, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA, ADVISED THERE WERE NO RECORDS TO VERIFY RESIDENCE OF A STUDENT AT THE INTERNATIONAL HOUSE BEYOND THE YEAR 1971.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY SC [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT LINCOLN, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA, ADVISED ONLY RECORD THEY HAVE FOR PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO IS HER TRANSCRIPT WHICH REVEALS THAT SHE ENTERED THE UNIVERSITY ON "FEBRUARY" 3, 1947, IN THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES AS A PRE-MED STUDENT. SHE COMPLETED TWELVE AND ONE-HALF UNITS AND LEFT AT THE END OF THAT SEMESTER. NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION IN FILE.

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NO CLASS STANDING OR CLASS AVERAGE AVAILABLE.

CREDIT. THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED

BY SC [REDACTED]

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ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, [REDACTED] LINCOLN, NEBRASKA,

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CREDIT BUREAU, ADVISED SHE COULD LOCATE NO RECORD IDENTIFI-  
FIABLE WITH MINK NEE TAKEMOTO.

IDENTIFICATION. THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS

CONDUCTED BY SC [REDACTED]

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED], NEBRASKA STATE PATROL, AND [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] POLICE DEPARTMENT, BOTH LINCOLN, NEBRASKA, ADVISED

THEY COULD LOCATE NO RECORD IDENTIFIABLE WITH MINK NEE  
TAKEMOTO IN THEIR RESPECTIVE FILE.

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REPORTING OFFICE <b>HONOLULU</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>BUREAU</b>	DATE <b>2/23/77</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>2/18-23/77</b>
TITLE OF CASE  <b>PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, nee TAKEMOTO, aka Mrs. John Francis Mink, Patsy Matsu Takemoto</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>SA</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 150px; height: 20px;"></span>	TYPED BY <b>eso</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>SPECIAL INQUIRY</b>	

REFERENCES

Bureau teletype to WFO, 2/17/77.  
 Bureau airtel to WFO, 2/17/77.  
 Honolulu teletype to Bureau, 2/22/77.  
 Honolulu teletype to Bureau, 2/23/77.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

It is to be noted that representatives of the various minority and ethnic groups of Hawaii are represented in interviews and contacts set out in instant report.

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All individuals contacted during the investigation set forth in instant report were apprised of the provisions of the Privacy Act of 1974 prior to the soliciting of any of the information reported.

Honolulu indices contain no derogatory information identifiable with appointee or close relatives.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

SA [REDACTED]

Office: Honolulu b7C

Date:

February 23, 1977 b6

Field Office File #: HN 161-485

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Title:

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK,  
nee TAKEMOTO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

PATSY T. MINK maintains a residence at Waipahu, Hawaii. MINK born 12/6/27, Paia, Maui, Hawaii. Received BA Degree, 1948, University of Hawaii, Honolulu. MINK's employment and organizational affiliations set out. Neighbors, business and organizational associates favorably recommend. Credit Bureau of Hawaii records satisfactory. Identification records, Honolulu Police Department and Maui County Police Department, disclose no record for MINK or close relatives.

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RECORD CHECKS

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SQ [redacted] on February 18, 1977, at Honolulu,  
Hawaii:

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[redacted] Honolulu  
Police Department, advised she was unable to locate any  
record identifiable with the following individuals:

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK. nee TAKEMOTO

[redacted]  
MITAMA TAKEMOTO (Mother)

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[redacted] Credit Bureau of Hawaii, advised  
that there was no derogatory information contained in appointee's  
credit file and that her credit rating is satisfactory.

Birth records at the Bureau of Vital Statistics  
disclosed that appointee was born on December 6, 1927, at  
Paia, Maui, Hawaii.

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On February 22, 1977, [REDACTED]

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Credit Bureau of Hawaii, 34 Market Street, Wailuku, Maui, advised that a review of records of the above organization failed to contain any information in the name of the appointee.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED] b7C b6

On February 23, 1977 [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Maui County Police Department, Wailuku, Maui,  
advised that she could not locate any record in the name  
of the appointee within the Police Department.

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RESIDENCE

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[redacted] Maikai Street  
Waipahu, Hawaii

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On February 22, 1977, SA [redacted] contacted the below-listed individuals who each advised that [redacted] has owned the above house since approximately November of 1957 and while in Washington, D. C., has rented this house out until approximately two months ago. Investigation determined that [redacted] is presently residing at the house while Mrs. MINK is residing in Washington, D. C.

[redacted]  
[redacted] Maikai Street  
Waipahu, Hawaii

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[redacted] Maikai Street  
Waipahu, Hawaii

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[redacted]  
[redacted] Maikai Street  
Waipahu, Hawaii

Each of the above stated that they have known Mrs. MINK for a long time, both as a neighbor and as their representative in Congress. They stated that they would vouch for her character and reputation in the community and knew nothing derogatory either about her or her family. Each stated they would highly recommend her for any position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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EMPLOYMENTS



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Honolulu, Hawaii by SA [redacted]

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On February 18, 1977, [redacted]  
Honolulu Academy of Arts, 900 South Beretania Street, Honolulu,  
Hawaii, advised that the appointee was employed as an assistant  
in the membership office of the Honolulu Academy of Arts during  
1948. [redacted] stated that he did not know personally the  
appointee, however, records maintained at the Honolulu Academy  
of Arts confirm appointee's employment.

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On February 22, 1977, [redacted]  
[redacted] Honolulu, telephone [redacted]  
of Depot Pawnshop, 183 North King Street, advised that the  
appointee was employed at Depot Pawnshop during the summer of  
1947 as a clerk. [redacted] stated that appointee was very  
smart and an excellent clerk and was attending the University  
of Hawaii while employed at the Depot Pawnshop.

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [REDACTED]

On February 22, 1977, [REDACTED] Deputy Clerk, Hawaii Supreme Court, Honolulu, Hawaii, made available record concerning admission to practice law of PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK. Their records show she was admitted to practice July 24, 1953, in the Territory of Hawaii. On July 1, 1974, she requested inactive status and exemption from attorney's registration fee, which was granted on July 5, 1974. The file reflected no complaints filed against her. [REDACTED] said any complaints of professional nature would have been filed in the Clerk's Office until two years ago, when the Office of Disciplinary Counsel was formed.

[REDACTED] Office of Disciplinary Counsel, 1149 Bethel Street, Honolulu, Hawaii, said complaints of professional responsibility matters for attorneys are required to be filed with his office. He has received no complaints concerning PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK. He does not know her personally.

[REDACTED] Hawaii Bar Association, City Bank Building, Honolulu, Hawaii, said PATSY MINK is a member in good standing of the Hawaii Bar Association. No complaints have been made to her office.

[REDACTED] Hawaii Bar Association, on February 23, 1977, said he had known PATSY MINK for many years since both began law practice about the same time and [REDACTED] on the Board of Directors of the Young Lawyers Section of the Hawaii Bar Association. He knows her to be dedicated and capable, and her reputation good although his political views differ from hers. She practiced law for about five or six years, and has been in politics since then, so has no recent record as to capability as a lawyer.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] on February 22, 1977, at Honolulu, Hawaii: b7C b6

[redacted]  
Legislative Reference Bureau Library, State Capitol, after researching the Legislative Journals for the Senate and House of Representatives, Territory of Hawaii and State of Hawaii, since 1959, advised that the name of PATSY MINK appeared as a member of the Territorial House of Representatives for the 1957-1958 Legislative Session and as a member of the Territorial Senate for the 1959 Legislative Session. She further advised that the 1963-1964 Legislative Journal showed that PATSY MINK was a member of the Senate for the State of Hawaii for that session. Also, in checking the Legislative Journal for 1955, PATSY MINK's name appeared as a "House Attorney" for the Territorial House of Representatives for the Legislative Session of 1955. No exact dates for the above services of PATSY MINK were shown.

[redacted] Archives, State of Hawaii, advised after searching his files that he could find no exact dates which would indicate the services of PATSY MINK in the Territorial or State Legislature as a House Attorney. His records indicated only as did the Legislative Reference Bureau Library for sessions in which PATSY MINK was involved. b7C b6

Governor GEORGE ARIYOSHI, State of Hawaii, advised he has known PATSY MINK for a number of years and worked with her when both were representatives in the Territorial Legislature. He stated she is a woman of much strength and speaks out on her beliefs very forcibly and is an able legislator. He advised he knows of nothing which would adversely impede the character or reputation of PATSY MINK and believes her to be a very loyal American to the American form of government. He stated he has had personal differences with PATSY MINK in the past, but these in no way reflect on her ability, and he thinks she would do a good job in the current Federal Administration of President CARTER and would so recommend her.

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JOHN USHIJIMA, President, Hawaii State Senate, advised he has known PATSY MINK since approximately 1954 and has been a coworker with her in the Hawaii Legislature. He stated she is a person of unimpeachable reputation and possesses fine personal traits as to character, associates, and loyalty. He knows of nothing whatsoever which would be in any way derogatory concerning her appointment to a position of trust and confidence in the Federal Government.

JAMES WAKATSUKI, Speaker, Hawaii House of Representatives, stated he has known PATSY MINK when they had adjacent law offices back in the mid-1950's and also as a comember of the Hawaii Legislature. He considers her a person of exceptional ability and knows of nothing which would reflect adversely on her character, reputation, associates, or loyalty. He recommends her highly for a position in the CARTER Administration.

DONALD D. H. CHING, Democratic Majority Leader, Hawaii State Senate, advised he has known PATSY MINK for many years and stated she is a very able legislator and attorney. He stated she, at times, was very liberal and outspoken on liberal issues which were not at all times the same as his views. However, he respected her for speaking her opinion regardless of possible public outcry. He stated he knows of nothing in her background which would be an embarrassment to her or the CARTER Administration and recommends her for a position of trust and confidence.

WADSWORTH YEE, Republican Minority Leader, Hawaii State Senate, advised he has known PATSY MINK since about 1946 when they were both law school students together and since as a legislator in the Hawaii Senate and a congressman for the United States Government. He stated she is very outspoken in her views, which at times tend to be liberal. However, he considers her a very able-bodied lawyer and legislator. He stated he is unaware of anything in her personal background or attitudes which would reflect adversely on her personally or the CARTER Administration and would recommend her to any position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [REDACTED]

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On February 23, 1977, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Oahu, Hawaii, advised that she  
[REDACTED] Membership Section, for the  
Business and Professional Women's Organization, [REDACTED]  
Branch, Oahu, Hawaii. She stated that the appointee is  
well known to her and has been a member of the above  
organization for a number of years. She stated that  
there has never been any derogatory information connected  
with the appointee and that Mrs. MINK has always been  
considered an individual whose character, loyalty and  
associates were above reproach. She stated that she would  
definitely recommend Mrs. MINK for any position of trust  
within the U.S. Government.

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HDD:bad

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SC [REDACTED], on February 22, 1977, at Honolulu,  
Hawaii:

[REDACTED] American Civil Liberties Union,  
Honolulu Chapter, advised that appointee is not listed in  
the current affiliate roster.

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[REDACTED] Democratic Action Group,  
Hawaii Chapter of Americans for Democratic Action, advised  
that he was unable to confirm the appointee's membership due  
to the fact the records are currently unavailable.

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[redacted] of National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Honolulu. Hawaii, on February 22, 1977, advised SA [redacted] that PATSY MINK is considered by the Hawaii Chapter of the NAACP to be cognizant and sympathetic of the aims of the organization. She has always been available for consultation and her advice has always been sound and logical.

Although she is not a dues-paying member of the NAACP in Hawaii, because of her assistance to the NAACP, she was, in about 1973, awarded the Freedom Fund plaque. MINK is known to be a dedicated, loyal citizen of the United States and what it stands for.

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[redacted] Provost at University of Hawaii, Windward Community College, Honolulu, on February 22, 1977, advised [redacted] of the NAACP in Hawaii in 1970 and 1971 and he was acquainted with PATSY MINK. She was always ready to offer advice and assistance to the NAACP. He considered her to be an asset to the cause of the NAACP and an intelligent, sympathetic, understanding, loyal American citizen.

ANSON CHONG, Hawaii State Senator, on February 22, 1977, advised SA [redacted] that the United Nations Associations-U.S.A., Inc., is a volunteer organization set up by the President of the United States in 1946 and which has been endorsed by every President since then. CHONG is presently on the Board of Directors of this organization and he knows that PATSY MINK was associated with it almost from its inception. PATSY MINK is on the Past Board of Directors, and she is carried as Emeritus Governor of the Hawaii Chapter of this organization. She is a tireless worker, an intelligent administrator, a loyal citizen of the United States.



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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [REDACTED]

On February 22, 1977, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] of the American Association of University Women,  
1802 Keeaumoku Street, Honolulu, Hawaii, advised that the  
appointee is not listed as a member of the local branch  
of the above organization and that in all probability she  
is a member of the National Organization of the American  
Association of University Women in Washington, D.C.

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The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [redacted] on February 22, 1977, at Honolulu,  
Hawaii:

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[redacted]  
[redacted] Hawaii State Capitol, Executive Chambers, tele-  
phone 548-4172, telephonically advised that [redacted]  
[redacted] the Young Democratic Club of Hawaii and knows  
PATSY MINK slightly. He stated that she was a member of  
good standing of the Young Democratic Club several years  
ago, but because the Young Democratic Club has the maximum  
age limitation of 36 years, PATSY MINK is no longer a member.

[redacted] did not know PATSY MINK well enough to  
comment about her personally.

[redacted] Camp Fire Girls of  
America, telephone 521-2341, advised that PATSY MINK is not  
a member of the Camp Fire Girls, and she does not know MINK  
personally. She stated that there is no record of PATSY  
MINK receiving the Outstanding Women's Award in 1968, but  
this could be because the award may have been given on the  
mainland.

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[redacted]  
University of Hawaii, telephone 948-7771, advised telephoni-  
cally that [redacted]  
[redacted] and recalls that in about 1968 PATSY MINK had  
been awarded Speaker of the Year. This award was given to  
MINK in terms of her community services. [redacted] advised that  
she does not know PATSY MINK personally.

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[redacted] University  
of Hawaii, home address [redacted] Telephone  
[redacted] telephonically advised that he is now retired. He  
stated that in about 1969 PATSY MINK had been the recipient  
of the Alii Award given by the 4-H Club at Honolulu. This  
award is given to the outstanding 4-H person who contributed  
in the area of community service. He stated that he did not  
know PATSY MINK personally.

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b7C The following investigation was conducted by  
SA [redacted] on February 22, 1977:

b6 [redacted] Multiple Sclerosis Society.  
advised [redacted]

[redacted] and was not aware that PATSY MINK had won the Outstanding Woman's Award in 1967. He did advise, however, that he has not heard anything concerning MINK's character, loyalty or associates that would preclude him from favorably recommending her for any position with the U. S. Government.

b7C [redacted] Multiple  
b6 Sclerosis Society, advised [redacted]  
when she received her award. He further advised that MINK has served [redacted] on the Board of Lanakila Crafts and that he has known her for approximately fifteen years. During his association with MINK, he has not observed nor learned of any information detrimental to her character, loyalty or associates and would not hesitate to recommend her for a position with the U. S. Government.

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On February 18, 1977, [redacted]  
[redacted] Palama Settlement, 810 North Vineyard, Honolulu,  
advised SA [redacted] he has known PATSY MINK since  
she was in the Hawaii State Legislature. She has always been  
considerate of the needs of the disadvantaged. Because of  
this, she has been closely associated with the workings of  
Palama Settlement and she has made herself and her office as  
a member of the U. S. House of Representatives available to  
the needs of the Palama Settlement. There is no official  
membership list nor dues for Palama Settlement, but PATSY  
MINK is considered part of Palama Settlement. She is very  
effective in her endeavors, of highest integrity and character  
and unquestionably a loyal American citizen.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] on February 22, 1977, at Honolulu, Hawaii:

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[redacted] Hawaii Association for Retarded Children, advised that present records of the association reflect that PATSY MINK was elected as a member of the Board of Directors of the Hawaii Association for Retarded Children in 1959. MINK held this position until 1962. [redacted] advised that PATSY MINK is not personally known to him and could provide no information regarding her character and loyalty.

[redacted] Honolulu Symphony Society, advised that records of the society reflect that PATSY MINK was a contributing member to the symphony during the years 1967, 1969, and 1971. [redacted] advised that her office has no other information regarding MINK's association with the Symphony Society and that she is not personally acquainted with MINK.

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[redacted] Wahiawa YMCA, advised that records of his office reflect that PATSY MINK was elected to the Board of Directors of the Leeward YMCA from 1966 to 1969. According to [redacted] MINK resigned her position from the board in 1969 because of her inability to attend board meetings.

[redacted] advised that he has been in contact with MINK since that time and is acquainted with her. He stated that he has no reason to question her loyalty to the United States and knows of nothing in her character that would be detrimental to the welfare of the United States. He recommended MINK for any position of trust with the United States Government.

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[redacted] Lanakila Rehabilitation Center, advised that PATSY MINK was elected to the Board of Directors of the Rehabilitation Center in 1960. [redacted] advised that according to her records, MINK resigned her position in 1964 after she was elected to Congress. [redacted] stated that the Board of Directors position is a nonpaying position and that MINK's position as Director provided much input in the operation of the rehabilitation center.

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[ ] advised that she has known MINK since 1948. She stated that the two of them attended college together. [ ] stated that after finishing college at the University of Hawaii, their association was not as close as before in that each pursued their own careers. [ ] stated, however, that she has no reason to question MINK's character or loyalty to the United States. She stated that she would recommend MINK for any position of trust with the United States.

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EDUCATION

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The following investigation was conducted by  
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[REDACTED]  
Maui High School, 660 South Lono Avenue, Kahului, Maui, Hawaii, advised on February 23, 1977 that records note that PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO attended Maui High School between the period September 1940 to June 1944. He stated that TAKEMOTO graduated from Maui High School on June 7, 1944, having completed the prescribed educational curriculum with an A+ average. At the commencement exercise, Miss TAKEMOTO was awarded a Certificate of Merit as outstanding student of that class and was also awarded the American Legion Award for scholastic achievement.



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The following investigation was conducted by  
SQ [redacted] on February 18, 1977, at Honolulu,  
Hawaii:

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b6 [redacted] University of  
Hawaii, advised that appointee attended University of Hawaii  
from September, 1944, to June, 1948. Appointee received a  
BA degree in June, 1948.

[redacted] University of  
Hawaii, advised that appointee was employed as a part-time  
lecturer from 1952 to October 5, 1956, when appointee resigned.  
Appointee also served from 1959 through summer session 1963 as  
a part-time lecturer in Business Law. [redacted] stated that  
the records pertaining to student part-time help dating from  
1944 to 1948 have been destroyed.

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b6 [redacted] stated that the following individuals  
were employed in the same department as appointee during her  
tenure at University of Hawaii:

[redacted]

[redacted]  
[redacted] University of Hawaii, advised [redacted]  
of the Department of Business and Economics at the time  
appointee was a lecturer. [redacted] advised that he would  
recommend the appointee highly and has never heard of any  
derogatory information concerning the appointee.

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b6 [redacted]  
[redacted] University of Hawaii, advised  
that he was a co-worker at the time appointee was a lecturer.  
[redacted] stated that he would recommend appointee for a position  
of trust with the Government.

[redacted]  
University of Hawaii, advised that he was a co-worker of the  
appointee during her tenure and would recommend her for a posi-  
tion of trust with the U. S. Government.

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[redacted] University of Hawaii, advised he was a co-worker of the appointee during her tenure at University of Hawaii. [redacted] stated he would recommend appointee for a position of trust with the Government.

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The following investigation was conducted at  
Honolulu, Hawaii, on February 22, 1977, by SA [redacted]  
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A review of the newspaper morgue of the "Honolulu Star-Bulletin" and "Honolulu Advertiser," local Honolulu newspapers, disclosed no statements made by PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK relative to racial matters or other information pertinent to this investigation. No indication was noted that MINK has ever been affiliated with any unpatriotic or subversive groups.

FBI

## TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
☒ Airtel

## PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

## CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ E F T O  
☐ CLEAR

Date 2/24/77

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (161-11937) (P)

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[REDACTED] of the House Committee on  
[REDACTED] of which former Congresswoman  
PATSY MINK was a member. [REDACTED] was interviewed by  
SA [REDACTED] on February 22, 1977.

On February 22, 1977, [ ] an individual who has been in a position to observe the performance of Congresswoman PATSY MINK, during the entire time that she was a member of the Congress, advised as follows:

This source began by stating that PATSY MINK has always appeared to him to be a very bright, and a very dedicated member of the Congress. She likewise has given him the impression that she has a very excellent grasp of the work of the Congress. He likewise emphasized that no adverse information of any kind has ever come to his attention which would cause him to question her moral character, reputation, loyalty to her country or her choice of associates. However, he is aware that she is being considered for a top level appointive position of trust at the Department of State which will bring her into contact with Representatives of the nations pertaining to the Pacific Basin in her capacity as a representative of the U. S. Government. This source has what he described as being a "gut feeling" that perhaps because of her ethnic background, Mrs. MINK might possibly be inclined to favor the interests of the smaller nations of Asia over the interests of her own country in a given international nature involving controversy among the nations of the Pacific Basin. He emphasized that he is in possession of no information that would substantiate this belief. It is merely an opinion on his part. It is believed further that a thorough background investigation of the appointee would either establish or disspell this opinion that he holds toward the appointee. He again stressed that Mrs. MINK has never done nor said anything that would lend substance to his feelings toward her.

Because of his personal feelings towards the appointee, this source would prefer that she not be placed in a position wherein she would represent U. S. interests among the nations of the Pacific Basin.

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WHITE HOUSE OFFICE (WHO)

On 2/22/77, SA [ ] determined the files of the Personnel Office and Records Office, WHO, contain no record for the appointee.

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The following investigation was conducted  
by SA [REDACTED] on February 22, 1977:

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United States Senator SPARK M. MATSUNAGA, Hawaii, advised he has known the appointee, PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, politically since 1952 and served with her in the territorial legislature of Hawaii for five years and also served with her as a colleague in the United States House of Representatives for 12 years. he also knows her socially and he commented favorably regarding her character, associates, reputation and loyalty. She is capable, honest, trustworthy and dependable. He recommended the appointee for a position of trust and confidence.

United States Senator DANIEL K. INOUE, Hawaii, advised he has known the appointee politically since about 1954 and served with her in the territorial legislature of Hawaii for two years. He has continued to know her politically and professionally during the period she served in the United States House of Representatives adding she is capable, honest and trustworthy. He commented favorably regarding her character, associates, reputation and loyalty recommending her for a position of trust and confidence.

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U. S. Department of State (USDS)  
Washington, D.C.

On 2/24/77 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] USDS, advised SA [REDACTED] he could locate no record on the appointee, PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK.

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On 2/24/77 [REDACTED]

USDS, advised SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] current position is [REDACTED] of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs. Designate and assumed this position on 2/8/77.

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United States House of Representatives

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On February 18, 1977, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Office of the Sergeant at Arms, advised Special Agent (SA) [REDACTED] as follows from the records.

Former Congresswoman PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, took her seat in the 89th Congress on January 3, 1965, as the Representative from the 2nd Congressional District of Hawaii. She served continuously in the House as the Representative from that District until the conclusion of the 94th Congress on January 2, 1977.

It is to be noted that the appointee was defeated in her attempt to secure the Democratic Senatorial nomination for the seat vacated by former Senator HIREM FONG in the Hawaii Primary Elections held in 1976.

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ASSOCIATES IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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The Honorable THOMAS P. O'NEILL, JR., Massachusetts, who is the Speaker of the House, advised as follows:

Mr. O'NEILL has known the appointee, former Congresswoman PATSY MINK, on a close personal and professional basis ever since she first took her seat in the House as the Representative from the Second District of Hawaii in January, 1965. He described Mrs. MINK as being an extremely hard worker and able member of the Congress who is widely respected and admired by her colleagues in the House. In addition, she is a very charming person who will make an excellent representative in the field of Foreign Affairs. In this regard, the Speaker is aware that Mrs. MINK is being considered for a top level position at the Department of State. He emphasized that it is his strong belief that Mrs. MINK will well and ably discharge the duties of such a high office. While a member of the Congress, she was noted for her fairness in handling legislative matters pending before the Education and Labor Committee as well as the Interior and Insular Affairs Committee of which she was a member. For this very reason the Speaker believes that she will likewise be fair and impartial in representing the interests of the U. S. in all matters that will come before her at the State Department. She will likewise engender goodwill for the U. S. by her fair and straight forwardness in dealing with other nations.

The Speaker reiterated the high esteem that he has for the appointee and emphasized that no adverse information of any kind concerning her has ever been brought to his attention. He concluded by giving Mrs. MINK his highest recommendation for a responsible appointive position of trust.

Representative PETER W. RODINO, JR. of New Jersey, who is the Chairman of the House Committee on the Judiciary, advised as follows:

Mr. RODINO began by declaring that he endorses PATSY MINK without reservation for a high responsible position of trust in the Congress administration. The appointee has

earned an excellent reputation among her colleagues in the Congress as she is hard working and a competent member of the Congress. She is likewise an individual of absolute personal integrity and he stressed that no adverse information of any kind as to her country or moral character has ever been made known to him.

Mr. RODINO is likewise aware that Mrs. MINK is being considered for a responsible appointive position at the State Department and he strongly believes that she will make an excellent representative of the U. S. in her dealings with foreign nations. He concluded by repeating his strong endorsement of Mrs. MINK for a position of trust and confidence.

Representative CORINNE C. (LINDY) BOGGS of Louisiana, advised as follows:

Mrs. BOGGS advised that she has known the appointee, former Congresswoman PATSY MINK, as a colleague in the Congress for approximately the past four years. She noted that the appointee enjoys an outstanding reputation among her peers in the Congress and is expert in the field of education. In this regard Mrs. BOGGS stated that she, herself, would frequently call upon Mrs. MINK for advice and counsel on legislative matters pending before the Congress relating to the field of education. Mrs. BOGGS went on to say that she and Mrs. MINK were part of a Congressional Delegation that visited the People's Republic of China and she had an opportunity to judge the appointee away from the environment of Washington. The appointee has always conducted herself in a very commendable manner and her personal demeanor and integrity would make her an excellent representative of her country.

She emphasized that Mrs. MINK is a person very much dedicated to her country and to the work of the Congress. No unfavorable information of any kind has ever been brought to her attention concerning Mrs. MINK and highly recommended the appointee for a position of trust.

Representative JOHN M. ASHBROOK, of Ohio, Minority Member of the House Education and Labor Committee, advised as follows:

He has known the appointee both as a colleague and as a professional associate for approximately the past two years. He described her as being a very hard working individual who

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established a superb reputation for herself among the members of the Labor Committee. He described her as being a person of integrity, competency and diligence. No unfavorable information of any kind has ever been made known to him and he concluded by recommending the appointee for a responsible position of trust.

Representative CLEMENT J. ZABLOCKI, of Wisconsin, advised as follows:

Mr. ZABLOCKI has known and worked closely with PATSY MINK ever since she took her seat in the 89th Congress in 1965. He described her as being an outstanding member of the Congress who is widely respected by her peers. He praised her moral character, patriotism and personal integrity and noted that no adverse information of any kind has ever come to his attention concerning her. He too, is aware that she is being considered for a top position at the Department of State as a ranking member of the House Committee on International Relations. Mr. ZABLOCKI strongly believes that Mrs. MINK will make an excellent representative of her country in the field of foreign affairs. He concluded by strongly recommending her for such a position.

Representative JOHN B. BRECKINRIDGE, of Kentucky, b7C  
advised SA [ ] as follows:

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Mr. BRECKINRIDGE was first elected to the 93rd Congress and took his seat in January, 1973. He has known and worked closely with PATSY MINK ever since that time. He described her as an outstanding member of the Congress and as a person whose loyalty and personal integrity are above reproach. She is a direct, honest, and fair minded person, who would make an excellent representative of her country in the field of foreign affairs. She is a very well informed and intelligent individual and was noted for her expertise in the field of education. He spoke in a most complimentary manner concerning her character and ability and recommended her for a responsible position of trust.

Representative RICHARD BOLLING, of Missouri, has known the appointee ever since she was first elected to the Congress. He firmly declared that he strongly supports Mrs. MINK for a responsible appointive position of trust and spoke most complimentary in his remarks relating to her moral character,

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integrity and patriotism. He concluded by repeating his endorsement of Mrs. MINK for a responsible position of trust.

Representative LLOYD MEEDS, of Washington, who is a reference for the appointee, advised as follows:

Mr. MEEDS has enjoyed a close personal and professional relationship with former Congresswoman PATSY MINK for approximately the past three years. He described her as a "fantastically capable person" who is widely admired and respected by her colleague in the Congress. Mr. MEEDS noted that he and Mrs. MINK have worked closely together on various legislative matters pending before the House Committee on Education and Labor over the years and was most complimentary in his statements pertaining to Mrs. MINK's expertise in the field of education.

He restated the high esteem in which he holds Mrs. MINK and emphasized that no adverse information of any kind concerning her moral character, patriotism or associates have ever been made known to him. He too is aware that she is being considered for a top position at the Department of State and he heartily endorsed her for such a position.

Representative WILLIAM FORD of Michigan, who is also a reference for the appointee and a member of the House Committee on Education and Labor advised as follows:

Mr. FORD began by stating that he worked with Congresswoman MINK during the 12 years that she was a member of the Congress. He described her as being a very polished and cultured individual who possesses a fine intellect. Mr. FORD is aware that Mrs. MINK is being considered for a responsible position of trust and believes that she is entirely suited for such a position. He stressed that no adverse information concerning her character, associates, reputation and loyalty has ever come to his attention concerning Mrs. MINK and he recommended her for a responsible position of trust.

It is to be noted that Representative JAMES J. HOWARD

and is unavailable for interview.

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Representative BARBARA JORDAN, of Texas, advised that she has known the appointee as a colleague in the Congress for approximately the past four years. She described Mrs. MINK as a very hard working and efficient Congresswoman, who would make an excellent representative of her Government in dealings with foreign nations. She spoke favorably of the appointee's character, reputation, loyalty and integrity and recommended her for a responsible position of trust and confidence.

Representative WILLIAM H. HARSHA of Ohio, advised that he has known PATSY MINK as a colleague in the Congress ever since she was first elected to the 89th Congress. He described her as being a very fine, capable person and noted that no adverse information of any kind has ever come to his attention concerning her. He recommended Mrs. MINK for a responsible appointive position of trust.

Representative OMAR BURLESON of Texas, advised as follows:

Mr. BURLESON has known the appointee as a colleague in the Congress. He noted that although he and the appointee are of differing political philosophies, he considers the appointee to be an individual who is both very loyal and dedicated to her country. No adverse information of any kind concerning the appointee has ever been brought to his attention and he knows of no reason not to recommend her for such a position of trust.

Representative JOE SKUBITZ of Kansas, has known the appointee ever since Mrs. MINK was first elected to the Congress. He took note of the fact that he is a ranking Minority member of the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and his primary dealings with appointee have been on that committee. He stressed that no adverse information of any kind concerning her has ever been brought to his attention and he has no objection to the appointment of Mrs. MINK to a responsible position of trust.

Representative WILLIS D. GRADINSON of Ohio, has known the appointee as a colleague in the Congress for the past several years. Mrs. MINK has impressed him as being a very capable member of the Congress and he noted that no adverse information of any kin has ever been made known to him concerning



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her. Mr. GRADINSON has no reason not to recommend the appointee for a responsible position of trust and confidence.

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Associates in the House of Representatives

The following interviews were conducted by SA [redacted] on 2/23/77.

Representative CECIL HEFTEL, Hawaii, advised as follows:

The Congressman has known the appointee, former Congresswoman PATSY MINK, on both a personal and professional basis for approximately the past 12 years. He described the appointee as being a very able and conscientious individual who performed in an excellent manner as the Representative of the Second Congressional District of Hawaii. The appointee possesses a very fine mind and a very strong concern for both social and ecological values.

Mr. HEFTEL is aware that the appointee is being considered for a responsible appointive position at the Department of State. In this regard, it is his belief that she possesses a great deal of administrative ability and would handle a top executive position in a very capable manner. He likewise commented favorably concerning her moral character, reputation, patriotism and associates. Mr. HEFTEL concluded with a strong recommendation that Mrs. MINK be favorably considered for a responsible position of trust.

Representative DANIEL K. AKAKA, Hawaii, advised as follows:

The Congressman has known PATSY MINK on both a personal and professional basis for a number of years. He described her as being an extremely capable individual who is forthright and honest in her dealings with others.

He took note of her long and distinguished service in the Congress as the Representative of the Second Congressional District of Hawaii and in this regard, he emphasized that she was an excellent representative of the people of Hawaii. She has a great deal of concern for her constituents and is likewise noted for her compassion and consideration of people in general.

He too spoke very favorably of the appointee's moral character and integrity. He emphasized that no adverse information of any kind which would in any way cause him to question the appointee's patriotism or associates has ever been made known to him. The appointee is a woman very much dedicated to her country and to the betterment of all mankind and she would, therefore, perform in an outstanding manner in a high appointive position of trust. He concluded with a strong recommendation for such a position.

Representative ROBERT J. CORNELL, Wisconsin, advised that he, himself, was first elected to the 94th Congress and knew PATSY MINK as a colleague in the Congress. He likewise served with her on the House Committee on Education and Labor. The Congressman emphasized that no adverse information of any kind concerning Mrs. MINK was ever brought to his attention and he knows of no reason not to place her in a responsible position of trust and confidence.

Representative TENO RONCALIO, Wyoming, advised as follows:

The Congressman began by stating that he has already recommended former Congresswoman PATSY MINK to President CARTER for a top appointive position of trust in the Department of State. He first came to know Mrs. MINK in January of 1965 when she first took her seat in the 89th Congress as the Representative of the Second Congressional District of Hawaii. He described her as being a very dynamic individual who speaks her mind on the issues confronting the Congress. The Congressman emphasized that there has never been any question in his mind concerning the appointee's total and absolute dedication to her country. He likewise praised her moral character, reputation, loyalty and associates,

He went on to say that the appointee, in his opinion, would perform in an outstanding fashion as a Representative of the United States Government in dealing with foreign nations. She has handled and dealt with people from all walks of life, everyone ranging from longshoremen in Hawaii to top officials of both our Government and foreign governments. He concluded by reiterating his strong endorsement of Mrs. MINK for a responsible position of trust.

Representative M. ROBERT CARR, Michigan, advised that PATSY MINK was the Chairwoman of a subcommittee on which he also served. He described her as being a very excellent and talented administrator who is widely respected by her colleagues in the Congress. He enjoyed a professional association with Mrs. MINK during the entire 94th Congress and spoke favorably of her character, reputation, loyalty and associates. He concluded with a recommendation for a responsible position of trust.

Representative PAUL SIMON, Illinois, advised that he too has enjoyed a professional association with PATSY MINK as a colleague in the Congress. He described her as being a "quality person" who enjoys the respect of her peers in the Congress. He also noted that he served with her on the House Committee on Education and Labor. He praised her moral character, reputation and patriotism and recommended her for a responsible position of trust.

Mrs. SHIRLEY CHISHOLM, New York, advised as follows:

Mrs. CHISHOLM began by stating that she usually is reserved in giving recommendations to people. However, in the case of PATSY MINK, she strongly recommends that the appointee be placed in a responsible position of trust at the Department of State.

She noted that Mrs. MINK is widely respected on both sides of the aisle in the House.

Mrs. CHISHOLM has known and worked closely with PATSY MINK ever since she, herself, was first elected to the Congress. She described Mrs. MINK as a very knowledgeable and serious minded person of excellent moral character and integrity. The appointee is very much devoted both to her country and to the work of the Congress. She concluded by restating her strong endorsement of Mrs. MINK.

Representative JOHN F. SEIBERLING, Ohio, advised that he too has recommended PATSY MINK to the White House for a responsible appointive position of trust. He enjoyed a close professional association with Mrs. MINK in the Congress for a period of approximately six years and has the highest regard for her character and integrity. Her loyalty

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to her country is absolutely above question and he too restated his endorsement of Mrs. MINK for a responsible position of trust.

Representative GOODLOE E. BYRON, Maryland, likewise has known the appointee as a colleague in the Congress and stressed that no adverse information of any kind concerning her has ever been brought to his attention. He likewise knows of no reason not to recommend her for a responsible position of trust.

Representative MARILYN L. LLOYD, Tennessee, advised that she too has enjoyed a professional association with PATSY MINK as a fellow member of the Congress. She praised her moral character and patriotism and noted, in addition, that Mrs. MINK is a person of absolute integrity. She is of the belief that Mrs. MINK will make an excellent representative of the United States Government and strongly recommended her for a responsible position of trust.

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On 2/23/77, SA [redacted] was advised by [redacted]

[redacted] Bethesda, Maryland, that he first met the appointee, PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, about 1955. He related they met at a convention for the National Young Democrats Club and that the appointee was a representative to the convention from Hawaii. He related that in 1957 at another convention the appointee was elected Vice President of the National Young Democrats Club. He remarked that in 1958 members of this club took a trip to Europe to attend a Youth Political Conference at NATO and that this young people's group was headed by Congressman ASHBROOK. He also mentioned that he has taken an active part in raising funds for her political campaign when she ran for Congress from the state of Hawaii. He stated that they are social friends and that they visit with one another frequently. He said the appointee [redacted] are residing at 611 6th Place, S.W., Washington, D.C., and [redacted]

[redacted] He described the appointee as very intelligent, hardworking, responsible, dependable and completely trustworthy. He said she relates exceptionally well to others and is a very personable lady. He vouched for her character, associates, reputation and loyalty. He recommended her without reservation for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government. [redacted] was listed as a reference by the appointee on the appointee's application form.

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611 Sixth Place, S.W.  
Washington, D. C.

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[redacted] Sixth Place, advised that she has known PATSY MINK for about ten years since both she and MINK were original tenants in the neighborhood. MINK is a former Congresswoman from Hawaii and a very active and outgoing woman who seems to be well liked by everyone. She is a good neighbor and a good friend of whom she knows nothing of a derogatory nature. She regarded MINK to be completely loyal to the United States and recommended her for a position of trust in the government.

[redacted] Sixth Place, advised that she has known PATSY MINK for at least ten years as a neighbor and social friend. MINK is an extremely reliable and outgoing person whose integrity has never been questioned. She knows nothing of a derogatory nature regarding MINK or MINK's husband who is an extremely nice person. She recommended MINK for a position of trust with the government.

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[redacted]  
Washington, D. C., advised SA [redacted] on February 22, 1977, that he first met PATSY MINK the first year after she came to Washington, D. C., as a newly elected Congresswoman from Hawaii. He was, at that time, [redacted] of the American Civil Liberties Union and she was interested in civil libertarian causes.

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Their relationship was at first of a professional nature but soon became personal and family social in nature. He described MINK as an extremely bright and courageous individual who often backed causes in Congress which were not necessarily politically expedient but which she regarded to be a correct thing to do. There is no question whatsoever regarding her character, associates or loyalty and he would recommend her for a position of trust with the government. [redacted] further added that the country was very fortunate to have someone like MINK in a high position of trust.



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SA [redacted] caused a search to be made of the files of the Credit Bureau, Incorporated, Washington, D. C., and was advised on 2/22/77, that the files contained (a satisfactory credit record) ~~(no credit rating) (no record)~~ for the appointee.

On 2/22/77, SC [redacted] determined that no arrest record was contained in the Metropolitan Police Department files concerning the appointee or her spouse. ~~(or relatives)~~.

It is to be noted that at all times an indefinite number of unidentified records are out of file and not available for review.

On 2/22/77, SC [redacted] determined that no record was contained in the Department of Transportation, Bureau of Motor Vehicle Services, Government of the District of Columbia files concerning the appointee or her spouse. ~~(or relatives)~~.

On 2/23/77, SC [redacted] searched the files of the U. S. Park Police and no identifiable adult criminal or traffic record could be located regarding the appointee or her spouse.

On \_\_\_\_\_, SC \_\_\_\_\_ caused a search to be made of the files of the Montgomery County, Maryland Police Department and was advised that no identifiable adult criminal record could be located regarding the \_\_\_\_\_.

On \_\_\_\_\_, SC \_\_\_\_\_ caused a search to be made of the files of the Prince Georges County, Maryland, Police Department and was advised that no identifiable adult criminal record could be located regarding the \_\_\_\_\_.

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*SC*  caused a search to be made of the files of the Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Civil Service Commission, and was advised on 2/24/77 that no ~~(additional pertinent information)~~ (record) was found concerning the *appointee*.

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On \_\_\_\_\_, SC \_\_\_\_\_ caused a search to be made of the files of the U. S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury, and was advised that (no record) (no derogatory information) (no additional pertinent information) was found concerning the \_\_\_\_\_.

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PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO, AKA MRS. JOHN FRANCIS MINK,

PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: FEBRUARY 24, 1977.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, FEBRUARY 24, 1977.

[REDACTED] UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,  
HONOLULU, HAWAII, ADVISED ON FEBRUARY 13, 1977, APPOINTEE  
ATTENDED UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII BETWEEN PERIOD SEPTEMBER 14, 1944.  
THROUGH JUNE 12, 1948, RECEIVING BA DEGREE ON JUNE 16, 1948.

[REDACTED] UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII,  
ADVISED ON FEBRUARY 18, 1977, APPOINTEE EMPLOYED AS PART-TIME  
LECTURER IN BUSINESS LAW BETWEEN PERIOD SEPTEMBER 1, 1952,  
THROUGH OCTOBER 5, 1956; SEPTEMBER 1, 1959 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1962.  
SHE ALSO ADVISED THAT APPOINTEE EMPLOYED AS FULBRIGHT SEMINAR  
LEADER IN ORIENTATION PROGRAM BETWEEN PERIOD AUGUST 20, 1962  
THROUGH SEPTEMBER 7, 1962, AND AGAIN AUGUST 19, 1963 THROUGH  
SEPTEMBER 5, 1963. [REDACTED] STATED RECORDS PERTAINING TO STUDENT

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PART-TIME HELP BETWEEN 1944 AND 1948 HAVE BEEN DESTROYED.

[REDACTED] HONOLULU ACADEMY OF ARTS, HONOLULU, ADVISED ON FEBRUARY 18, 1977, APPOINTEE EMPLOYED AS ASSISTANT IN MEMBERSHIP OFFICE DURING 1958. NO EXACT DATES OF EMPLOYMENT MAINTAINED ON RECORDS.

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ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, [REDACTED] DEPOT PAWN SHOP, KING STREET, HONOLULU, ADVISED APPOINTEE EMPLOYED AS CLERK DURING SUMMER MONTHS OF 1947, NO EXACT DATES AVAILABLE.

ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, [REDACTED] LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU LIBRARY, STATE CAPITOL, ADVISED APPOINTEE'S NAME APPEARS AS MEMBER OF TERRITORIAL HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE 1957-1958 LEGISLATIVE SESSION AND AS MEMBER OF TERRITORIAL SENATE FOR 1959 LEGISLATIVE SESSION. LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL FOR 1963-1964 LISTS APPOINTEE AS A MEMBER OF SENATE FOR STATE OF HAWAII FOR 1963-1964 SESSION. LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL LISTS APPOINTEE'S NAME AS "HOUSE ATTORNEY," TERRITORIAL HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, HAWAII, FOR LEGISLATIVE SESSION 1955. SHE ADVISED ALL LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS COMMENCE ON THIRD WEDNESDAY OF JANUARY AND RUN FOR PERIOD OF 60 DAYS, EXCLUSIVE OF SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.

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ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, GOVERNOR GEORGE ARIYOSHI, STATE OF HAWAII, HONOLULU, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN PATSY MINK FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS AND WORKED WITH HER WHEN BOTH WERE REPRESENTATIVES IN THE TERRITORIAL LEGISLATURE. HE STATED SHE IS A WOMAN OF MUCH STRENGTH AND SPEAKS OUT ON HER BELIEFS VERY FORCIBLY AND IS <sup>AN</sup>~~AN~~ ABLE LEGISLATOR. HE ADVISED HE KNOWS OF NOTHING WHICH WOULD ADVERSELY IMPEDE THE CHARACTER OR REPUTATION OF PATSY MINK AND BELIEVES HER TO BE A VERY LOYAL AMERICAN TO THE AMERICAN FORM OF GOVERNMENT. HE STATED HE HAS HAD PERSONAL DIFFERENCES WITH PATSY MINK IN THE PAST, BUT THESE IN NO WAY REFLECT ON HER ABILITY, AND HE THINKS SHE WOULD DO A GOOD JOB IN THE CURRENT FEDERAL ADMINISTRATION OF PRESIDENT CARTER AND WOULD SO RECOMMEND HER.

ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, JOHN USHIJIMA, PRESIDENT, HAWAII STATE SENATE, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN PATSY MINK SINCE APPROXIMATELY 1954 AND HAS BEEN A CO-WORKER WITH HER IN THE HAWAII LEGISLATURE. HE STATED SHE IS A PERSON OF IMPEACHABLE REPUTATION AND POSSESSES FINE PERSONAL TRAITS AS TO CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY. HE KNOWS OF NOTHING WHATSOEVER WHICH WOULD BE IN ANY WAY

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DEROGATORY CONCERNING HER APPOINTMENT TO A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE IN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, JAMES WAKATSUKI, SPEAKER, HAWAII HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, STATED HE HAS KNOWN PATSY MINK WHEN THEY HAD ADJACENT LAW OFFICES BACK IN THE MID-1950'S AND ALSO AS A CO-MEMBER OF THE HAWAII LEGISLATURE. HE CONSIDERS HER A PERSON OF EXCEPTIONAL ABILITY AND KNOWS OF NOTHING WHICH WOULD REFLECT ADVERSELY ON HER CHARACTER, REPUTATION, ASSOCIATES OR LOYALTS. HE RECOMMENDS HER HIGHLY FOR A POSITION IN THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION.

ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, DONALD D.H. CHING, DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY LEADER, HAWAII STATE SENATE, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN PATSY MINK FOR MANY YEARS AND STATED SHE IS A VERY ABLE LEGISLATOR AND ATTORNEY. HE STATED SHE, AT TIMES, WAS VERY LIBERAL WND OUTJA SPOKEN ON LIBERAL ISSUES WHICH WERE NOT AT ALL TIMES THE SAME AS HIS VIEWS. HOWEVER, HE RESPECTED HER FOR SPEAKING HER OPINION REGARDLESS OF POSSIBLE PUBLIC OUTCRY. HE STATED HE KNOWS OF NOTHING IN HER BACKGROUND WHICH WOULD BE AN EMBARRASSMENT TO HER OR THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION AND RECOMMENDS HER FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

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ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, WADSWORTH YEE, REPUBLICAN MINORITY LEADER, HAWAII STATE SENATE, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN PATSY MINK SINCE ABOUT 1946 WHEN THEY WERE BOTH LAW SCHOOL STUDENTS TOGETHER AND SINCE AS A LEGISLATOR IN THE HAWAII SENATE AND A CONGRESSMAN FOR THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. HE STATED SHE IS VERY OUTSPOKEN IN HER VIEWS, WHICH AT TIME TEND TO BE LIBERAL. HOWEVER, HE CONSIDERS HER A VERY ABLE-BODIED LAWYER AND LEGISLATOR. HE STATED HE IS UNAWARE OF ANYTHING IN HER PERSONAL BACKGROUND OR ATTITUDES WHICH WOULD REFLECT ADVERSELY ON HER PERSONALLY OR THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION AND WOULD RECOMMEND HER TO ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

AS SET OUT ON PAGE SIX OF HONOLULU TELETYPE TO BUREAU DATED FEBRUARY 23, 1977, APPOINTEE ADMITTED TO PRACTICE OF LAW, HAWAII BAR, JULY 24, 1953, TERRITORY OF HAWAII. APPOINTEE MAINTAINED LAW PRACTICE AT 12 KING STREET, HONOLULU, BETWEEN PERIOD 1953-1965. ON JULY 1, 1974, APPOINTEE REQUESTED INACTIVE STATUS AND EXEMPTIONS FROM ATTORNEY REGISTRATION FEE, WHICH WAS GRANTED ON JULY 5, 1974, LISTING APPOINTEE AS AN INACTIVE ATTORNEY, STATE OF HAWAII.

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A TOTAL OF 41 INDIVIDUALS WERE INTERVIEWED REGARDING APPOINTEE'S EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND, EMPLOYMENT, AFFILIATION WITH ORGANIZATIONS, STATE OF HAWAII, AND RESIDENCE. ALL CONTACTED ADVISED THAT APPOINTEE IS A LOYAL AMERICAN CITIZEN, ONE WHOSE CHARACTER, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES ARE ABOVE REPROACH. NONE WERE ABLE TO FURNISH ANY INFORMATION WHICH WOULD REFLECT ADVERSELY ON HER CHARACTER OR LOYALTY. ALL HIGHLY RECOMMENDED APPOINTEE FOR POSITION OF TRUST.

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PATSY MATSU MINK, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: FEBRUARY 24, 1977.

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AT UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, EXACT DATES OF LISTED EMPLOYMENTS  
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OF PERSONS INTERVIEWED AND THEIR EXACT TITLES. ADVISE DATE  
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MINK, PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED:

FEBRUARY 24, 1977, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE HONOLULU TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 22, 1977.

ON FEBRUARY 24, 1977, [REDACTED]

UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND SECURITY, ITHACA,

NEW YORK, ADVISED [REDACTED]

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FROM: SAC, ALEXANDRIA (161-4347) -RUC-

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, nee  
 Takemoto, aka  
 Mrs. John Francis Mink,  
 Patsy Matsu Takemoto  
 SPECIAL INQUIRY  
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 the files of the Arlington County, Va., Police Department,  
 and was advised on 2/22/77 that no record regarding Class 3  
 and Class 4 misdemeanors was located concerning appointee.

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 and was advised on 2/24/77 that the files contained no  
 pertinent identifiable information concerning the appointee  
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MINK, PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED FEBRUARY 24,  
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REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON FIELD, FEBRUARY  
17, 1977.

ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA,  
ADVISED THE FILES OF HER DEPARTMENT FAILED TO REFLECT ANY  
TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS FOR APPOINTEE OR HUSBAND.

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, A COMPUTERIZED CHECK OF CENTRAL  
CRIMINAL RECORDS EXCHANGE, VIRGINIA STATE POLICE, RICHMOND,  
VIRGINIA, FAILED TO REFLECT ANY INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH  
APPOINTEE [REDACTED]

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 of  
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 MINK; PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED FEBRUARY  
 24, 1977, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD FEBRUARY 17, 1977,  
 AND WASHINGTON FIELD TELEPHONE CALL TO NEW YORK FEBRUARY  
 24, 1977.

FOR INFORMATION NEW YORK BUREAU REQUESTED TO DO EXPEDITE  
 INVESTIGATION CONCERNING CAPTIONED APPOINTEE, BORN DECEMBER  
 6, 1927, AT MAUI, HAWAII, SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER

b2 [REDACTED] CURRENTLY RESIDING 611 SIXTH PLACE, SOUTHWEST, b7C  
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ON FEBRUARY 24, 1977, [REDACTED]  
 AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTY UNION, WASHINGTON, D. C., ADVISED

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APPOINTEE IS CURRENT MEMBER NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL, ACLU.

EXACT DATES OF MEMBERSHIP CAN BE VERIFIED THROUGH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ACLU, NEW YORK CITY, PHONE [REDACTED]

NEW YORK VERIFY MEMBERSHIP IN ABOVE MENTIONED CAPACITY.

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PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: FEBRUARY 24, 1977,  
WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE AND AIRTEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD,  
FEBRUARY 17, 1977.

BALTIMORE INDICES NEGATIVE REGARDING APPOINTEE AND CONTAINS  
NO IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING REFERENCES.

ON FEBRUARY 22, 1977, THE FILES OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE  
ADMINISTRATION, GLEN BURNIE, MARYLAND, REVEALED NO RECORD OF  
TRAFFIC VIOLATION OR MARYLAND LICENSE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE.

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1977, THE FILES OF MARYLAND STATE POLICE,  
PIKESVILLE, MARYLAND, WERE CHECKED BY LINDA SMITH WITHOUT  
LOCATING ANY RECORD REGARDING THE APPOINTEE.

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NONE OF THE PERSONS CONTACTED REQUESTED CONFIDENTIALITY  
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PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK, NEE TAKEMOTO, AKA MRS. JOHN FRANCIS  
MINK, PATSY MATSU TAKEMOTO; SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED PAST

REWFOTEL TO NEW YORK, DATED FEBRUARY 24, 1977.

ON FEBRUARY 25, 1977, [REDACTED]

AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION, 22 EAST 40TH STREET, NEW  
YORK, NEW YORK, ADVISED THAT APPOINTEE HAS BEEN A MEMBER  
OF THAT ORGANIZATION'S NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL SINCE  
1975. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW APPOINTEE PERSONALLY, HAVING  
NEVER MET HER. HE EXPLAINED THAT PEOPLE ON THE NATIONAL  
ADVISORY COUNCIL ARE PLACED THERE BY THEIR STATE ACLU CHAPTERS.  
HE ADDED THAZ THE POSITION IS AN HONORIFIC ONE, ENTAILING  
NO MEETINGS OR RESPONSIBILITIES. [REDACTED] COULD SUGGEST NO  
ONE ELSE AT THE NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL  
LIBERTIES UNION WHO WOULD KNOW APPOINTEE.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

February 28, 1977

Mr. Patrick Apodaca  
Associate Counsel to the President  
Room 43, Old Executive Office Building FEDERAL GOVERNMENT  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Apodaca:

Your cooperation is requested in arranging for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to furnish this office with copies of investigative reports on all Presidential appointees to the Department of State. This will facilitate the issuance of required security clearances by this office.

Sincerely yours,

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Summary memoranda and letters dated 3/2/77 and 3/7/77, were furnished to the State Department on 3/14/77

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March 2, 1977

BY LIAISON

Honorable Robert J. Lipshutz  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Lipshutz:

In accordance with a request received from you on February 17, 1977, an investigation has been conducted concerning Mrs. Patsy Takemoto Mink. Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of this investigation.

The Internal Revenue Service has advised that income tax returns were filed by Mrs. Mink. There is no record of failure to pay any tax within ten days after notice or demand or penalties for the tax years 1973, 1974, and 1975. There is no record of criminal tax investigations or civil penalties for fraud under the internal revenue laws.

The Department of State has advised that a check of its files concerning Mrs. Mink has not been completed. When this check has been completed, you will be advised.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

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Honorable Robert J. Lipshutz

NOTE: Mrs. Mink, aged 49, former U. S. Representative from Hawaii, is Acting Assistant Secretary of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, Department of State. Investigation favorable and complete except for one agency check.

March 2, 1977

PATSY TAKEMOTO ~~MINK~~

Summary

THE INVESTIGATION OF MRS. MINK COVERED INQUIRIES AS TO HER CHARACTER, LOYALTY, ABILITY, AND GENERAL STANDING, BUT NO INQUIRIES WERE MADE AS TO THE SOURCES OF HER INCOME.

### Birth

Mrs. Mink was born on December 6, 1927, in Paia, Hawaii, as Patsy Matsu Takemoto.

### Education

Mrs. Mink attended the University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii, from September, 1944, to June, 1946, and from September, 1947, to June, 1948, receiving a B.A. degree.

She attended Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, from September, 1946, to January, 1947. She also attended the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska, from February, 1947, to June, 1947. She did not receive a degree from Wilson College or the University of Nebraska.

Mrs. Mink attended the University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, Illinois, from October, 1948, to June, 1951, receiving a J.D. degree.

### Employment

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Private practice of law,  
Honolulu, Hawaii

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University of Hawaii, Honolulu,  
Hawaii, as a part-time lecturer

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January, 1955, to January, 1956	Hawaii Territorial House of Representatives, Honolulu, Hawaii, as an attorney
January, 1957, to January, 1959	Hawaii Territorial House of Representatives, Honolulu, Hawaii, as a member
January, 1959, to June, 1959	Hawaii Territorial Senate, Honolulu, Hawaii, as a member
January, 1963, to January, 1965	Hawaii State Senate, Honolulu, Hawaii, as a member
January, 1965, to January, 1977	United States House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., as a United States Representative from Hawaii
February, 1977, to the present	Department of State, Washington, D. C., as Acting Assistant Secretary of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs

During the summers while attending college and when not employed as indicated hereinbefore, Mrs. Mink was employed as a clerk-typist, library assistant, or engaged in the duties of a housewife and mother.

**Marital Status**

Mrs. Mink is married to [redacted] and they reside at 611 6th Place, Southwest, Washington, D. C. b7C b6

**Interviews**

A. \*Congressman who requested confidentiality and who knew Mrs. Mink the entire period she was a member of the United States House of Representatives described her as very intelligent and dedicated in her work. He emphasized he has no adverse information of any kind concerning her reputation, character, associates, or

**Patsy Takemoto Mink**

loyalty. However, because of a "gut feeling" and "perhaps because of her ethnic background" he believes she might favor small nations in Asia over the interests of her own country. For this reason he would prefer she not be placed in any position wherein she would represent the United States interests among nations in the Pacific Ocean Basin.

Spark M. Matsunaga, United States Senator from Hawaii, advised in Washington, D. C., he has known Mrs. Mink on a professional and social basis since 1952. He described her as loyal, capable, honest, and trustworthy. He recommended Mrs. Mink for a position of trust and confidence.

Daniel K. Inouye, United States Senator from Hawaii, advised in Washington, D. C., he has known Mrs. Mink on a professional basis since 1954. He commented favorably regarding her character, associates, reputation, and loyalty. He highly recommended her for a position of trust and confidence.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

Daughter

Brother



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

March 2, 1977

**PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK**

THE INVESTIGATION OF MRS. MINK COVERED INQUIRIES AS TO HER CHARACTER, LOYALTY, ABILITY, AND GENERAL STANDING, BUT NO INQUIRIES WERE MADE AS TO THE SOURCES OF HER INCOME.

Birth

Mrs. Mink was born on December 6, 1927, in Paia, Hawaii, as Patsy Matsu Takemoto.

Education

Mrs. Mink attended the University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii, from September, 1944, to June, 1946, and from September, 1947, to June, 1948, receiving a B.A. degree.

She attended Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, from September, 1946, to January, 1947. She also attended the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska, from February, 1947, to June, 1947. She did not receive a degree from Wilson College or the University of Nebraska.

Mrs. Mink attended the University of Chicago Law School, Chicago, Illinois, from October, 1948, to June, 1951, receiving a J.D. degree.

Employment

September, 1953, to  
January, 1965

Private practice of law,  
Honolulu, Hawaii

September, 1953, to  
January, 1957, and  
from September, 1959,  
to January, 1963

University of Hawaii, Honolulu,  
Hawaii, as a part-time lecturer

**Patsy Takemoto Mink**

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January, 1957, to January, 1959	Hawaii Territorial House of Representatives, Honolulu, Hawaii, as a member
January, 1959, to June, 1959	Hawaii Territorial Senate, Honolulu, Hawaii, as a member
January, 1963, to January, 1965	Hawaii State Senate, Honolulu, Hawaii, as a member
January, 1965, to January, 1977	United States House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., as a United States Representative from Hawaii
February, 1977, to the present	Department of State, Washington, D. C., as Acting Assistant Secretary of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs

During the summers while attending college and when not employed as indicated hereinbefore, Mrs. Mink was employed as a clerk-typist, library assistant, or engaged in the duties of a housewife and mother.

**Marital Status**

Mrs. Mink is married to [redacted] and they reside at 611 6th Place, Southwest, Washington, D. C.

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**Interviews**

A congressman who requested confidentiality and who knew Mrs. Mink the entire period she was a member of the United States House of Representatives described her as very intelligent and dedicated in her work. He emphasized he has no adverse information of any kind concerning her reputation, character, associates, or

Patsy Takemoto Mink

loyalty. However, because of a "gut feeling" and "perhaps because of her ethnic background" he believes she might favor small nations in Asia over the interests of her own country. For this reason he would prefer she not be placed in any position wherein she would represent the United States interests among nations in the Pacific Ocean Basin.

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FBI

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☒ Airtel

PRECEDENCE:

- ☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

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- ☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ E F T O  
☐ CLEAR

Date 3/3/77

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (161-11937) (RUC)

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK

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On March 1, 1977, SA [redacted] reviewed the files of the Office of Security (SY), U. S. Department of State (USDS) concerning PATSY MINK, which disclosed the following:

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The Security Office, USDS, conducted a regular full field investigation in February, 1977, concerning PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK in connection with her application for a position as Special Assistant FSR-01. Results of this investigation are favorable.

Top Secret clearance was granted MINK by SY, USDS, on February 7, 1977.

The SY file does not show any termination of clearance concerning this individual, however, SY has advised that all its clearances terminate when the person's relationship with the Department of State terminates.

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REFERENCE

On 2/25/77, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Maryland, advised he has been acquainted with the appointee on a social and professional basis since they attended law school together in 1949.

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[REDACTED] described the appointee as an extremely conscientious person who maintains very high personal standards. He advised her character, associates, reputation and loyalty are beyond reproach and he highly recommends her for a position of trust and confidence.

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WFO #: 161-11937

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\_\_\_\_\_ caused a search to be made of the files of the Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Civil Service Commission, and was advised on \_\_\_\_\_ that no (additional pertinent information) (record) was found concerning the \_\_\_\_\_.

On 3/1/77, SC  caused a search to be made of the files of the U. S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury, and was advised that (no record) (~~no derogatory information~~) (~~no additional pertinent information~~) was found concerning the appointee.

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BY LIAISON

Date: March 7, 1977

To : Honorable Patrick V. Apodaca  
Associate Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

From: Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Reference: PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK

Enclosed is a summary memorandum containing the results of investigation conducted concerning above-captioned individual pursuant to your request received on \_\_\_\_\_.

Status: ☒ Completed ☐ Pending

Refer to my communication dated March 2, 1977, which furnished you the results of investigation concerning captioned individual.

Transmitted herewith is a supplemental summary memorandum containing the results of additional investigation conducted in this matter.

- Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_
- Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_
- Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_
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- Plan. & Insp. \_\_\_\_\_
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- S. & T. Serv. \_\_\_\_\_
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- Director's Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

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March 7, 1977

**PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK**

This summary memorandum supplements the summary memorandum concerning Mrs. Mink, dated March 2, 1977.

**Agency Checks**

The Department of State has advised its files contain no additional pertinent information concerning Mrs. Mink.

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UNITED STATES  
ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20545

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*SLC*  
Mr. Patrick V. Apodaca  
Associate Counsel to the President  
White House Security Office  
Room 43, Old Executive Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20500

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Dear Mr. Apodaca:

REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS -- PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK

The Department of State has requested that the captioned individual be processed for access to Restricted Data.

This office has been advised that the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has conducted a recent investigation on Ms. Mink for the White House. It would be of great assistance to this office in processing the Department of State's request if you would authorize the FBI to release a copy of the investigative reports to this Administration.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE

WHITE HOUSE SECURITY OFFICE

Summary memoranda dated 3/2/77 and 3/7/77 were furnished to the Energy Research and Development Administration on 4/13/77.

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pone their special order requests to another day.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, I hope we will not have an attendance problem. I cannot say. I hope we will not have an attendance problem. I hope that, once we have disposed of the economic stimulus appropriations bill, we can continue our action on amendments to the code of ethics measure.

**ORDER FOR RECESS FROM TOMORROW UNTIL 11 A.M. ON FRIDAY NEXT**

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business on tomorrow, it stand in recess until 11 a.m. on Friday next.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, on Friday, upon the disposition of the act making economic stimulus appropriations, the code of conduct measure would automatically be back before the Senate, would it not,

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator is correct.

#### APPOINTMENT BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Public Law 86-380, appoints the Senator from Delaware (Mr. Roth) to the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

#### ORDER FOR H.R. 3437 TO BE HELD AT THE DESK

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that H.R. 3437 be held at the desk pending further disposition.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### WAIVER OF THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ACT WITH RESPECT TO CONSIDERATION OF S. 1025

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of Senate Resolution 121, waiver of section 402(a) of the Congressional Budget Act with respect to consideration of S. 1025, to amend the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated for the Securities and Exchange Commission for fiscal year 1977.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be stated by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 121) waiving section 402(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to the consideration of S. 1025.

objection to the present consideration of the resolution?

There being no objection, the resolution was considered and agreed to, as follows:

Resolved, That pursuant to section 402(c) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the provisions of section 402(a) of such Act are waived with respect to the consideration of S. 1025. Such waiver is necessary because the need for the additional funds arose after May 15, 1976. The supplemental request, transmitted to Congress on January 18, 1977, covers the pay increase which went into effect in October 1976, and additional funds needed to complete the modernization of the automated data processing and record system of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

#### S. 1025—SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AUTHORIZATIONS

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, I understand that Calendar No. 48, S. 1025, has now been cleared for action by unanimous consent, now that the waiver has been disposed of.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator is correct.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Is this correct? Mr. BAKER, Mr. President, it is correct. We are cleared, pending only the adoption of the budget waiver, which was just done. We have no objection to proceeding with its disposition.

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, I would just ask the clerk to transfer Calendar No. 48 to the Unanimous Consent Calendar, so that it will be there on tomorrow.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. That will be done.

#### PROGRAM

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, the Senate will convene at 12 o'clock noon tomorrow.

After the two leaders or their designees have been recognized under the standing order, the Senate will resume the consideration of the pending measure, Senate Resolution 110. The pending question at that time will be on the adoption of the amendment, as modified, by Mr. SCHMITT, on which there is a time agreement of 1 hour. There will be rollover votes throughout the afternoon tomorrow and late into the day.

#### RECESS

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD, Mr. President, if there be no further business to come before the Senate, I move, in accordance

with the previous order, that the Senate stand in recess until 12 meridian tomorrow.

The motion was agreed to, and at 6:21

March 24, 1977, at 12 meridian.

#### NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate March 23, 1977:

##### FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Michael Pertschuk, of the District of Columbia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner for the unexpired term of 7 years from September 26, 1970, vice Stephen A. Nye, resigned.

##### DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Robert Carswell, of New York, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury, vice George H. Dixon, resigned.

#### CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate March 23, 1977:

##### DEPARTMENT STATE

Lucy Wilson Benson, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance programs.

Hodding Carter III, of Mississippi, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Richard Holbrooke, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State. Terence A. Todman, of the Virgin Islands, a Foreign Service officer of the class of career minister, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Pater T. Mink, of Hawaii, to be an Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs.

##### U.S. INFORMATION AGENCY

John E. Reinhardt, of Maryland, a Foreign Service information officer of the class of Career Minister for Information, to be Director of the U.S. Information Agency.

##### AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

John J. Gilligan, of Ohio, to be Administrator of the Agency for International Development.

##### DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Jay Janis, of Florida, to be Under Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Lawrence B. Simons, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Robert Campbell Embry, Jr., of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

##### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

Thomas D. Morris, of the District of Columbia, to be Inspector General, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

Arabella Martinez, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare.

The above nominations were approved subject to the nominees' commitments to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

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